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SPECIFICATION:

Please change the title to the following:

Battery Pack and Latch with Mechanisms for Coupling to a Host Device

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 3, line 16 with the following paragraph:

The latch 200 includes a planar member 201 that serves as the central mechanical structure. The latch 200 includes at least one spring retention post 301 coupled to the planar member 201. Additionally, the latch 200 includes at least one insertion snap 302 coupled to the planar member 201. The insertion snap 302 is preferably triangular in cross section, with an inclined member 303 disposed towards the rear 202 of the planar member 201, and a vertical member 304 disposed towards the front 203 of the planar member 201.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 3, line 22, with the following paragraph:

The latch 200 includes at least one barbed wing member 204 coupled to the planar member 201. The barbed wing member 204 extends distally outward from the planar member 201. In one preferred embodiment, as shown in FIGS. 2 and 3, the latch 200 includes two barbed wing members 204,205. One barbed wing member 204 extends distally outward from one edge 206 of the planar member 201, while the other barbed wing member 205 extends distally outward from the opposite edge 207 of the planar member 201. In this arrangement, the two barbed wing members 204,205 are preferably collinear for structural stability.